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<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/056,490	<b>Applicant(s)</b> MYERSON ET AL.	
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**Status of Application: \_\_\_\_\_**

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**Date of Interview:** 8 November 2004

**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

**Rejection(s) discussed:**

*None*

**Claims discussed:**

*11, 14-18*

**Prior art documents discussed:**

*U.S. Patent No. 6,596,077; Zaccaro et al article.*

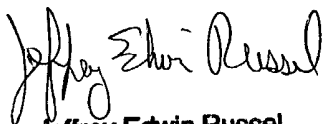
**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*See Continuation Sheet*

**Part III.**

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: A proposed amendment canceling the claim for priority at page 1 of the specification would not be entered because the amendment would raise new issues requiring further consideration and/or search. The effective filing date of claims 11 and 14-18 would change, and U.S. Patent No. 6,596,077 would become available as prior art against these claims under 35 U.S.C. 102(e), and the Zaccaro et al article would become available as prior art against these claims under 35 U.S.C. 102(a). With respect to Applicants' response after final rejection filed June 24, 2004, the declaration filed June 24, 2004 has been received and satisfies the requirement for a new oath or declaration set forth in section 1 of the final Office action mailed May 7, 2004. .